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## NICARAGUAN CRISIS NOW DUE

### TO SAVE LIVES OF CHILDREN

OPENING OF KAUIKEOLANI CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL ON THANKSGIVING DAY—MR. AND MRS. WILCOX, FOUNDERS OF THE INSTITUTION, TAKE PART IN THE CEREMONIES—A THOUSAND PEOPLE ATTEND AND INSPECT THE HOSPITAL.

Kauikeolani Children's Hospital was auspiciously opened on Thanksgiving Day afternoon. A thousand people, including many nationalities with native Hawaiians in the majority, were present in response to the omnibus invitation through the press.

Before and after the ceremonies, which were informal but impressive, the crowd swarmed through the beautiful main building to view, with expressed admiration as all did, the wards with their dainty cots, the operating room and sterilizing plant, the bathrooms, the rooms for the house staff, the kitchen, the bedclothes closet, etc. Walls and floors are finished in modern sanitary methods. Bedsteads and cots are of metal with white enamel finish. The operating table is glass and iron. In fact it is a modern hospital in every respect.

Situated in the middle front of a plot of more than four acres—an additional piece of land being negotiated for—the main building is of reinforced concrete, two stories with a basement, its architecture plain but not unimposing. A wide veranda extends along the front, with pillars forming

a stately facade. The Nuuanu valley breeze has full sweep through the building from rear to front. Wooden annexes on the right and left, reached by rear verandas, contain the nurses' cottage and the housekeeping department respectively. A large wooden building, a few rods to the rear, contains the contagious disease wards. Inset hospital before Dole \* \* \*

Promptly at 3 o'clock order was called on the buzzing multitude. Those to take active part in the ceremonies having taken position at the top of the front steps, Rev. Wm. N. Lono, pastor of Kaunakapili church, offered an invocation.

Judge Sanford B. Dole, president of the hospital, delivered the opening address. He quoted the statement of Hepsy Smith, an American evangelist, that it was better to build a fence at the top of a precipice than a hospital at the bottom. While this was true enough, yet civilization was yet far from having completed the fence. Also there were many precipices. While insanitary conditions existed, intem-

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### SAMPANS ARE LANDING OPIUM

HAVING ARRESTED TEN PETIT DOPE SMUGGLERS AND SECURED THE CONFESSIONS OF SOME OF THEM U. S. ATTORNEY BRECKONS AND PORT COLLECTOR STACKABLE ARE WISE TO BIG SYSTEM OF SMUGGLING THROUGHOUT ISLANDS.

Opium is being landed at various ports in these islands and by the powerful gasoline sampans recently inaugurated by a haul of Japanese, presumably for far-sea fishing purposes.

Some time ago The Star stated that the Japanese sampans were getting unusually busy where fish were not in the habit of abounding, intimating that there was other business in which some of these sampans were interested.

Mainland newspapers also took up the proposition of the unusual activity in installing powerful gasoline engines in alleged fishing boats, drawing attention to the ease with which a foe might be landed, fifty men at a time, in the large sampans, and how easy it was to handle contraband goods in these swift-sailing bottoms, declaring that there was probably smuggling going on with the help of these little vessels.

Recently the San Francisco customs authorities got hold of a large quantity of opium which was endeavored to be smuggled into San Francisco, which incident simply bears out the contention of the Federal authorities at this port, to the effect that there is being brought into these islands a large amount of opium that has no right, under the law, to be admitted. It may be that Breckons, the United States District Attorney, does not know anything about the local method of landing dope; but it is far more likely that this far-sighted, unprejudiced person has the inside information in regard to the system of operations; but the chief characteristic of Breckons is that he never says anything until it comes out officially.

It may even be that Collector of Customs E. R. Stackable knows nothing of the illicit traffic between Oriental steamships and sampans, but he does not, then he is not at all awake. As a matter of fact however, the probabilities are that Stackable has been alert to the situation for some time and that he and United States District Attorney Breckons are working hand in glove for the good of the United States in this matter.

Both Breckons and Stackable were asked as to what they know in the premises and both Stackable and Breckons looked surprised and had nothing to say. Nevertheless, it is absolutely known that these Federal gentlemen have their eyes open to the situation and that they are even now, today, yesterday, and for days last past,

working on the theory of opium being landed here by steamships coming from the Orient and delivered in such a way to the Japanese sampans for delivery to other island ports that the illegal process has become known and the Federal authorities are about to land on the individuals who are responsible for this violation of the statutes.

Hence the anxiety to get here as soon as possible, a revenue cutter.

Hence the communications to Washington which have brought about the order which gives the Commandant of the Naval Station, Captain Corwin P. Rees, the right to order the light-house tender Kukui to whatever duty he desires, pending the arrival here of the revenue cutter Thetis. It was a question of protecting the birds on the war-westward islands that first agitated the proposition of a revenue cutter here; but now a more immediate and a more serious problem confronts the Federal authorities, and that is the suppression of the importation of opium here. Nobody really knows how much of the dope has been landed at Hilo, Waikuku, Lahaina and Kukuiahae, stored up for consumption in Honolulu, but at least the Collector of Customs and the United States District Attorney are aware of conditions, even if they have only become aware of such conditions through the confessions of some of the men they have now under arrest for bringing the poppy juice ashore from various oriental steamships, notably the S. S. Asia, and next, the S. S. China.

Breckons and Stackable, it may be safely said, even though they refuse to say anything for publication, are on to the ropes; hence the orders which resulted recently in the vigilance which brought about the arrest of the Hawaiian, Kekahuna, for taking several tins ashore from the Asia; and the arrest of William Luther for arranging with Kekahuna to go aboard the Asia to buy the dope.

There are now ten men under arrest for being involved in the smuggling of opium into this port, as follows: John Kekahuna, William Luther, both of whom have been bound over for trial; Kaiaki, Charles Ah Fook, Chas. Park, Kana, (Kane), Kallawa, Ah Fook, Vincent Keumi and Ah Jim whose true name is Yee Pan. There will be others very soon and some of the others are likely to include people responsible for landing the opium at island ports other than Honolulu.

### ZELAYA'S LAST STAND TOMORROW

(Special Cable to The Star by the United Press.)

BLUEFIELDS, November 26.—Advices from the interior declare that President Zelaya of Nicaragua and his men have garrisoned Managua and will be forced to a conclusive fight tomorrow.

General Sanez's investing army numbers five thousand men and Zelaya's situation is critical. Present indications decidedly favor the oppositionists.

### INSULTS THICKEN FROM NICARAGUA

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 26.—Dispatches from Consul Caldera at Managua, waited for by this government as contributing to evidence in the matter of the execution of the two Americans, Grace and Cannon, by order of the Nicaraguan president, have not been received here, and it is believed that they have been intercepted by orders of President Zelaya.

### MARINES START FOR THE FRONT

BREMERTON, November 26.—The United States ship of war Princeton has been ordered to Corinto in connection with the present Nicaraguan troubles wherein the government of that state must answer to the United States for the execution of American citizens without trial.

### MURDERERS ESCAPE BY TUNNELLING

TEHUANTEPEC, November 26.—Twenty-six prisoners, including many who were serving life-sentences for murder or who were awaiting execution therefor made escape from the penitentiary here today, having tunneled under the walls.

BERLIN, November 26.—Aeronauts Brenchmann and Francks were hurled to a horrible death today when the balloon in which they were navigating collapsed.

PHILADELPHIA, November 26.—Secretary of the Navy Meyer today reviewed the United States Marines who are about to be dispatched in the U. S. S. Prairie for the Caribbean Sea for duty in protecting American interests during the present Nicaraguan difficulties.

BERLIN, November 26.—Johann Reinrick von Bernstorff, now German Ambassador to the United States, is not to be named German ambassador to the court of St. James to succeed Count P. Wolf-Metternich, in spite of contrary reports.

NEW YORK, November 26.—Ten more weighers employed by the U. S. Customs Department, engaged in handling sugar imports, have been dismissed from the service for fraud in favor of the sugar interests.

#### SAVE THE DOCTOR'S FEE.

If you are a man of moderate means and cannot afford to employ a physician when you have an attack of diarrhoea you will be pleased to know that one or two doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will cure it. For sale by all dealers, Benson, Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.



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### HAWAII PER CAPITA ADVERTISING LOW

Publicist Will Cooper of the Hawaii Promotion Committee, who is Acting Secretary thereof in the absence of Secretary Wood, today addresses the members in part as follows, the more important points of his communication being given herewith:

It is sometimes stimulating to stop a bit to note what "the other fellow" in your line of business is doing, and how he is doing it. We are in the publicity business—advertising Hawaii—and we have good reason to be proud of what we have accomplished. But there are others. For instance, a private citizen in New Bedford, Mass., the publisher of one of the leading papers of that city, has for some time been paying over \$400.00 per page in standard magazines, such as the Cosmopolitan, for the broad purpose of informing the people of the country that his city is the "best place on earth." This may be but a short-sighted part of an eccentric enthusiast, but when we learn that California spent in 1906, the sum of \$6,264,532.00 in advertising, or \$3.86 for

every inhabitant in the state, and that the amount since that time has been even greater, we are safe in assuming that nothing but hard headed business sense inspired such great expenditure. A large portion of this advertising was probably done by private interests, but good advertising of most any kind is generally indirectly helpful to the community.

I think I am pretty safe in estimating that Hawaii, although boasting by far the greatest per capita wealth of any state or territory of the Union, has spent in advertising during the past year, including the outlay for our exhibit at the A. Y. P. Exposition, and the advertising campaign of the pineapple growers, both unusual enterprises, well under \$1 per capita.

But our advertising comes cheaper than any mainland state can hope for, and dollars and cents do not in any way indicate the value of the "boosting" which the Territory is constantly getting from a score of different sources. The glamour of our isolation is a big asset. The development of the defenses of the islands by the Federal government draws general attention to Hawaii, as many letters of inquiry indicate. Almost every one of the steadily increasing flock of tourists goes back to the mainland a booster for Hawaii of the very best kind. Probably more magazine and other writers devote time to writing about the Paradise of the Pacific than to any other one section of the country.

Have your typewriter, cash registers and adding machines repaired by the Office Supply Co. They have a complete repair department for this work.

#### A GREAT BARGAIN EVENT.

The selling event of the year begins Monday, November 29th, at Sachs Dry Goods Co. Real hand-made bat-tenberg scarfs, squares and centers of values up to \$2.25 will all be placed on sale at 95c each. Goods now on display in the show windows.

#### NEW RICE MILL.

The K. Yamamoto Rice Mill is the largest as well as the finest in the islands. All the machinery is of the very latest pattern. The famous Tengu Rice is cleaned at this mill. With the large cleaning capacity they are able to handle considerable outside particular work which they guarantee.

### ALAMEDA IN EARLY

LOSES ONE LADY PASSENGER BY DEATH ON VOYAGE—STORMY WEATHER AT START.

After a remarkably smart trip, the S. S. Alameda arrived alongside the Oceanic dock at nine this morning. Captain Dowdell reports rather stormy weather on the run from the Coast for the first few days out.

A rather sad occurrence of the voyage was the death from apoplexy of Miss Julia Lazaro two hours out from the Golden Gate. The body was embalmed aboard ship and brought for interment here.

The old reliable "ferry boat" brought some thirty sacks of mail and a full list of passengers among whom were Treasurer Conkling returning from his trip to Washington and New York. When interviewed by The Star re-

### PARKER'S RETAINER MURDERED

(Special Wireless to The Star.)

HONOLULU, November 26.—Peana, a noted cowboy and a faithful old retainer of Samuel Parker, has been murdered by one of his former comrades, Kahoolawe by name. The murder occurred at Mana this morning and Kahoolawe is now in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Overend.

The crime was the result of a long hatred between the men, Kahoolawe having been in wait for his victim for some time.

presentative, he stated that he had accomplished everything that he went after and was more than pleased with the results obtained. Following is the list of passengers:

Mrs. O. E. Ainsley, H. A. Allgover,

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